PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Takehiro MATSUDA

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

The specification is changed as follows:

Page 12, paragraph 9:

Figs. 10A, 10B and 10C are operational illustrations of a beam size method.

REMARKS

Entry and consideration of this Amendment is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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